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For: **Disinfecting Composition and Process for Disinfecting Surfaces**

**AMENDMENT**

Box Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated October 29, 2002, please amend the present application as follows.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

Following the claims, please insert the abstract that is presented on the next page. In accordance with the Examiner's request and 37 CFR 1.52(b)(4), this abstract is presented on a separate sheet, apart from any other text, to replace the abstract of the disclosure previously submitted.

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